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RE:

SN 09/974,753 "METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR INDUCING

AUTOIMMUNITY IN THE TREATMENT OF CANCERS" - Alan J. Schroit (Client

Ref.: MDA97-044DIV1)

Commissioner:

Please find enclosed:

- 1. A Preliminary Amendment;
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Respectfully submitted,

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Encl.: As stated.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Alan J. Schroit

Serial No.: 09/974,753

Filed: October 9, 2001

For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR INDUCING AUTOIMMUNITY IN THE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit this Preliminary Amendment in the above-referenced case.

Consideration of this case in view of the amendments made herein is respectfully requested.

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In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-14 and 22-27, without prejudice or disclaimer.

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